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SUBJECT: SHOTS FIRED INTO UKRAINIAN MISSION

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1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF NOTE DELIVERED BY HAND TO
UKRAINIAN MISSION AT 1340 HOURS ON JANUARY 20, 1975.

2. "THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA TO THE UNITED NATIONS PRESENTS HIS COMPLIMENTS TO
THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UKRAINIAN SOVIET
SOCIALIST REPUBLIC TO THE UNITED NATIONS AND HAS THE
HONOR TO REAFFIRM HIS OWN EXPRESSION OF REGRET AND THAT
OF AMBASSADOR WHITE CONCERNING THE SHOTS FIRED BY AN
UNKNOWN PERSON INTO A ROOM IN THE UKRAINIAN MISSION ON
THE MORNING OF JANUARY 19, 1975.

3. THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK AND
CONCERNED UNITED STATES FEDERAL AGENCIES HAVE STARTED AN
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INVESTIGATION OF THE INCIDENT. A 22 CALIBER RIFLE HAS

BEEN RECOVERED FROM THE CONSTRUCTION SITE ON EAST 68TH STREET. THE RIFLE, AND TWO BULLETS WHICH WERE FOUND IN THE ROOM, ARE BEING EXAMINED BY BALLISTICS EXPERTS.

4. THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT DEEPLY DEPLORES THIS SENSELESS ACT OF VIOLENCE. EVERY STEP LEGALLY POSSIBLE IS BEING TAKEN TO APPREHEND THOSE RESPONSIBLE AND TO BRING THEM TO JUSTICE.

5. THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE UNITED NATIONS TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY TO EXTEND TO THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UKRAINIAN SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLIC TO THE UNITED NATIONS THE ASSURANCES OF HIS HIGHEST CONSIDERATION."
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